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Enclosed is a copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US). Enclosed is an original Executed combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for this application signed by Inventors John C. ERMEL, Robert GREUBEL and Stephen FORSEY.

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